

Security Advisory 2023-065

Adobe Acrobat and Reader Zero-Day Vulnerability

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TLP:CLEAR

History:

• 13/09/2023 — v1.0 – Initial publication

Summary

On September 12, 2023, Adobe released a security update that addresses a critical, zero-day vulnerability, which has been exploited in the wild. The vulnerability affects both Windows and MacOS systems and is being tracked as CVE-2023-26369 [1].

Technical Details

Successful exploitation of this flaw could allow a local attacker to execute arbitrary code. The exploit succeeds without the need of privileges in this low-complexity attack; however, user interaction is required, according to its CVSSv3.1 score.

Affected Products

Product	Track	Affected Versions
Acrobat DC	Continuous	23.003.20284 and earlier
Acrobat Reader DC	Continuous	23.003.20284 and earlier
Acrobat 2020	Classic 2020	20.005.30516 (Mac) and earlier/
		20.005.30514 (Win) and earlier
Acrobat Reader 2020	Classic 2020	20.005.30516 (Mac) and earlier/
		20.005.30514 (Win) and earlier

Recommendations

Adobe recommends users update their software installations to the latest versions as soon as possible, following the instructions they provided in the *Solution* section of the Security Bulletin [1].

References

- [1] https://helpx.adobe.com/security/products/acrobat/apsb23-34.html
- [2] https://get.adobe.com/uk/reader/